

SENATE RESOLUTION 128

By Harper

A RESOLUTION to commend Ms. Malia Michelle Cohen for
extraordinary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Malia Michelle Cohen is one such individual who distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Thelma Harper; Malia's work resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a graduate of Fisk University, Malia achieved academic success while majoring in Political Science and participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including the California Fisk Club, and the Student Government Association; she also rendered astute service as the Political Science/Pre-Law Club president; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Cohen graduated cum laude on May 8, 2000, with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science; and

WHEREAS, while a student at Fisk University, Malia received numerous awards and accolades in recognition of her academic excellence including General University honors and

Political Science Departmental honors; she was also inducted into the Pi Sigma Alpha National Honor Society for Political Science, and participated in the school's Honors program; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexity of Tennessee state government and to further in her studies, Malia brought her ability and expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2000 session of the One Hundred First General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2000 legislative session, Malia Cohen surpassed all criteria with regard to the attributes of a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Malia Cohen performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby commend Ms. Malia Michelle Cohen for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Thelma Harper and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.